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In re Application of	:
Reiner Kraft	:
Application No. 09/825,210	:
Filed: April 2, 2001	: DECISION ON PETITION
Attorney Docket No.:	: UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.137(B)
ARC920010034US1	:
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR	:
ASSOCIATING A DESTINATION	:
DOCUMENT TO A SOURCE DOCUMENT	:
DURING A SAVE PROCESS	:

This is a decision on the petition filed November 10, 2006, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)¹, to revive the above-identified application.

It is noted in passing that the petition contains the wrong title. It will be presumed by the undersigned that this is a typographical error.

1 A grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) must be accompanied by:

- (1) The reply required to the outstanding Office action or notice, unless previously filed;
- (2) The petition fee as set forth in § 1.17(m);
- (3) A statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to this paragraph was unintentional. The Commissioner may require additional information where there is a question whether the delay was unintentional, and;
- (4) Any terminal disclaimer (and fee as set forth in § 1.20(d)) required pursuant to paragraph (d) of this section.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply within the meaning of 37 C.F.R §1.113 in a timely manner to the final Office action mailed April 4, 2006, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 C.F.R §1.136(a) were obtained, and no response was received. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on July 5, 2006. A notice of abandonment was mailed on November 16, 2006.

With the present petition, Petitioner has submitted the petition fee, the proper statement of unintentional delay, a notice of appeal and the associated fee, as well as an appeal brief and the associated fee. No terminal disclaimer is required.

As such, the petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) is **GRANTED**.

The Technology Center will be notified of this decision. The Technology Center's support staff will notify the Examiner of this decision, so that the Appeal Brief can be processed.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3225². All other inquiries concerning examination procedures or status of the application should be directed to the Technology Center.



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2 Petitioner will note that all practice before the Office should be in writing, and the action of the Office will be based exclusively on the written record in the Office. See 37 C.F.R. §1.2. As such, Petitioner is reminded that no telephone discussion may be controlling or considered authority for Petitioner's further action(s).